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forty pears, and had a terrible attack to ecember and January, 1882. I hardly know what prompted me to take PARKER'S PONIC. I did so, and the first day I took astonished me. That night I slept as if nothing was the matter with me. and have ever since. I have had colds since, but no asthma. My breathing is now as perfect as if I had never known that disease. by the presentation of a large num-If you know of any one who has asthma tell him in my name that PARKER'S TONIC will cure it-even after forty years.' There was a man who escaped the fate of those

whom the poet laments. This preparation, which has neretofore the name of PARRER'S Toxic, Insamuch as ginger is really an unimportant ingredient, and unprincipled dealers are constantly deceiving their customers by sub-stituting inferior preparations under the priating \$1,000,000 for the improve
—The merchants are complaining name of ginger, we drop the misleading

the outside wrapper. jy

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With a silvery gray. Dream on, darling! While thou's sleeping Angels pure and bright more Around your cot their watch are keeping Through the silent night;

Then dream on while you may, Ah! too soon will come the waking From the dreams of childhood's days; Clouds the fair horizon breaking Soon will meet thy vouthful gaze As you wend life's way.

soon thy heart will feel the aching That no joy can kill or calm; Cherished homes their leave be taking. Hopes that never could bring balm, Then dream on while you may. Soon the hours of childhood flying.

From your transient dreams you'll wake As from day to day will try -but vain the trying-To find that bliss no one can know:

For grief is living, joy is dying, In this weary world of woes Thin dream on while you may.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

From our regular correspondent.]

JANUARY 19, 1884. The first week in Congress after the Christmas holidays was marked ber of bills. Important progress was made with work in the various committees. Some speeches relating to the tariff were delivered in the which he was heartly congraulated serves great credit. He delights in by both Democratic and Republican work and visiting the girls, but has ment of the Mississippi River. In of dull There is no change, however, in the pre. the debate on the Mississippi River good. paration itself, and all bottles remaining in bill Senator Plumb, of Kansas, threw

> thousand. The scheme is a heroic themselves. \$20,000,000. No money could be Darling Josie, at the Gate." more wisely expended. More than the interest on such a sum is now disbursed for rent, and in a large other day that bids fair to lead to number of places the post-office ac- good results. The 'Squire had just commodations are shabby and incon- rendered an important decision and venient and derogatory to the char- taken a chew of tobacco, when some acter of the government. Wherever one spoke of the immense quantities contact with the people not only hars of saloons as a drink. This led should the official be respectable, the court to say that buttermilk was but his surroundings such as to in- quite a favorite beverage of his, and spire and secure the respect of the that he had recommended his chief people. Other Senators and Repre- parson to use it, who had become sentatives have introduced bills pro- quite a lover of it, and it had no bad viding for the erection of a large effects. That he was no teetotlar,

to keep them in repair.

ent parts of the country. marked in a speech last week: "We may drink a quantity of it, and while have now reached a point when we he may feel like a calf that had been have a rich government and a poor sucking, and want to stand in a fence people. While the people are cry- corner and blate, or kick up his heels ing out for relief from taxation, Con- and run around a pasture, he does gressmen are taxing their ingenuity not become crazed and throw a beer to find ways and means to spend keg through a saloon window. "Anurplus revenues."

The Commerce Committee have at once tackled Chairman Reagan's favorite measure, the interstate com- not smell like the next day after a merce bill, and set apart a week from saengerfest. That the complexion January 24 for a debate upon its of the nose of a buttermilk drinker merits by outside parties. The rail- assumes a pale hue which is enroad men will be heard first, and chanting (pointing to his nose as a then persons whose interest are an sample), and while his breath may tagonistic to the roads. These dis- smell like a baby that has nursed cussions have, in the past, brought too much and got sour, the smell first-class talent to the committee- does not debar his entrance into a rooms, and been of educational ser- temperance society." vice to the country, if barren thus far in legislation. The railroads put forward their best spokesman, such generally by Mr. Thurber. Thus far the railroads have succeeded in postponing all legislation distasteful

the week of discord in the Demo- an honorable engagement, sir." cratic ranks, but on many points and his of catre ability and experience, to take general appointing agencies, to find and start other can resemble the granted, or that in plants multiple posts. Extra high communication. Application will be granted, or that in plants multiple the coinage of silver dollars, will be possible that we are a little fleree, the coinage of silver dollars, will be possible that we are a little fleree, the young man had been going with persons were burned to death, and down to the lowest notch. No see looking the coinage of the cars and three stopped. Appropriations will be cut but thank goodness we are all goodness we are all goodness we are all goodness to the young man had been going with persons were burned to death, and

propriations for new ships of war or for an increase of the naval force mercial shipping. Little mercy will Territories will be kept out in the

Triplett Cullings.

home, and the Mormons must go.

-Uncle J. E. M. Triplett is confined to his room with sore eyes. May his cure be a speedy one.

to a fever heat. It is known that

hat on the event. -Benny Smith is wearing an unsual smile, and says he is happy. -Clark Harper is said to be well nformed, as he Reeds considerable. -Our banking corporation is now

littled talked of, but we hope soon to see it revived. -Jim Gilliam is still buying tobacco, and has a large quantity to re-Senate. Senator Cullom, of Illinois, ceive on his purchase yet. Jim is bren known as Parken's Ginger Tonic, Senate. Senator Cullom, or illinois, ceive on his purchase yet. Jim is will hereafter be advertised and sold under made an anti-poligamy speech, upon an energetic young man, and de-

-Charles Hammond, jr., in comthe hands of dealers, wrapped under the out a suggestion that may be worth pany with Misses Crocket and Marsh name of Parken's Gingra Tonio contain considering. He thinks there should capsized into a gully one dark night the genuine medicine if the fac-simile sig. considering. He thinks there should capsized into a gully one dark night nature of Hiscox & Co. is at the bottom of not only be continuous lines of last week. Fortunately to say, there levees on both sides, but that they was no bones broken, but cant say should be surmounted by railroads this for the buggy.

-The young ladies gave a leap Senator Hill, of Colorado, has sug- year party over Bowman Bros. store, gested a bill for the erection of build- extending invitations to various parts ings by the U. S. Government in ev- of the county. Quite a number from be began and held in the town of Keytes- ery town, city and village with a Keytesville was honored and acpopulation of not less than one cepted the opportunisy of enjoying

remedy for the relief of the obese -Will Straton was awarded a cake and dyspeptic U. S. Treasury. Put- of soap for being the laziest man in ting the cost of a convenient and the district. While we claim to the substantial building, including land, contrary, we can not but believe at an average of \$10,000. The bill that he has committed himself in calls for an expenditure of about singing in his sleep, "Meet Me,

number of public buildings in differ- but a strong buttermilk man. That it does not intoxicate was the great-Senator Morgan, of Alabama, re- est thing in its favor. That a man other thing," he said, "buttermilk does not cause the nose to become red, and the consumer's breath does

AYER's Pills cure constipation. improve the appetite, promote digesas Mr. McVeagh for the Pennsylvia; tion, restore healthy action and regu-Mr. Depew, for the Central; Com- late every function. They are pleasmissioner Fink and Mr. Blanchard, ant to take, gentle to operation, yet while the anti-railroad forces are led thorough, searching and powerful in subduing disease.

"FALL, sir?" "Yes, sir, I fell to them that Judge Reagan proposes ; sir." "It's fashionable to fall." "I All work warranted to give satisfac- but that gentleman does not lese didn't fall on the ice, sir. It was an heart, and with greater freedom in orange skin, sir. I was safely withcommittee and a sympathetic House in half a square of my house, sir, ferring to the bitterness of Southern, he may be able, this winter, to send when down I come, and on a trap ladies during the war, brought down cus man, a verdict for \$15,000 PURE WINES AND LIQUORS his long delayed bill to the Senate. like that. It is like going through a the house by saying: "If the devil against the Vebash railroad for dam-Its chances there, however, are not battle, sir, and then being kicked by had been a woman, what a devil of a ages caused by a train accident. a mule, sir. I havn't even the sat- devil he would have been!" There has been much talk during, isfaction of having been wounded in

been clearly foreshadowed. It is "that its plain people have very little altogether improbable that the affirm- voice in its political action." This

The habit of slandering and speakwill be made. A vigorous effort will ing evil of people has become so be made to revive American com- universal that in order to find a person who has never committed this be shown to railroad corporations. sin one would have to search with a There will be a literal construction lighted candle at noonday, as did the of land grants, and when the terms old philosopher who was seeking for of the grant have not been rigidly an honest man. Indeed, many of complied with they will be for us have become so addicted to this feited. The laws of traffic on trunk evil that the faults of our neighbors lines will be revised in the interest are sweet morsels, and the manner of the shipper and consumer. And in which they are rolled under our as a further check to railroads, navi- tongues, whether fancied or real, is gable rivers are to be improved, and conclusive proof that we prefer to liberable appropriations are to be criticise rather than praise our neighmade for harbors. The diplomatic bor. In view of this fact it seems antique humbug establishment is to that the most pressing reform needed be closely criticised. Republican is one that will do away with this evil. steamer od ve he

cold. The Chinese must stay at In many communities where the people pride themselves upon their Such is some of the new year's work uncommon good qualities, there is mapped out by the majority in the more gossip and slander about neighbors than there is of .. rue. Christian charity. Indeed, this grace is very much tacking when we are so eager to peddle slanderous reports against a neighbor. Let us, then, strive to have that charity for others' sins -The coming election is getting that we do for our own shortcomings. Reform ourselves before try-Uncle Pat Clerkins has wagered a ing to reform other people, or, as the good old maxim says, "Sweep week. before our own door 'ere we sweep before our neighbor's."-Aunt Betsy

Looking Up Testimony.

in Iowa Homestead.

"Well, what kind of a breakfast did you have?" inquired a slightly shabby-looking individual, taking a seat in front of the hotel, and addressing a commercial traveler.

"Worst lay-out I ever struck on my whole route. Horrible spread to dish up to a hungry man." "The steaks would have half-soled

pair of kip boots?" "You bet; why the coffee was so transparent I could see samples of thy if he is suffering. the cook's hair ourled up in the bottom of the cup."

"And we couldn't tell the difference between the butter and the sweet oil." "No: and the bread was the worst

"And the baked potatoes were just warmed through, and as solid as a dornick."

"Yes, and they tried to palm off three different dishes of yesterday's cold soup for a new species of hash." "And the roast looked like a piece

of charcoal." "Bet your life; and the battercakes were nothing less than raw

dough." "And the waiters were saucy and indifferent."

A HINT was dropped in a court the "Yes, one of 'em picked up chair and offered to hit me with it if I called for any more iced tea. I'd like to see the landlord of this ranch. I'd just like to see him as a curiosity. He must be the ornyiest cuss in fourteen States."

Well, I've been thinking some of rejuvenating the establishment for subject. quite awhile, and, being the landlord, I'm taking a quiet stroll in and out among the guests getting their views. I always like to strike a live, radical kicker like yourself, because then I get in all the important testimony for the prosecution, and know just where to begin with my reconstruction. Just stop here on plished. your way back and you'll find different arrangements "-Texas Sift-

THE Canton News gets after its delinquent subscribers in the following fashion: "Good-bye, boys-some of you. The News visits you for the last time this week-unless arrearages are settled before the next issue. We don't care to go into partnership with the devil, and as he has a mortage on all delinquent newspaper subscribers, we release all ways. claims. His satanic majesty will give to all such a warmer welcome than he gives to common mortals, for a man who would wilfully and deliberately beat the printer out of his subscription would rob his poor old grandmother of her spectacles or burglarize his babe's toy savings bank. Good-bye, boys-we can't ask Mr. Devil to have any mercy on you. But we are thankful that you are a mighty 'small' crowd."

Ax English writer thinks it a pity that English orators are not permitted by etiquette to swear at one another. This reminds us of a speech by old Joe Hoxie, who, re-

AYER's Sarsaparilla wonderfully improves the complexion and brings there is substantial accord, and on "Ir is the misfortune of the to old and young the bloom of health. some of those points its policy has South," says the New York Tribune, As a purifier of the blood it has no

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GENERAL NOTES.

The cane-growers convention opened in St. Louis last Thursday.

A Dallas. Texas, gambler paid \$1,400 fines in one day last week.

In New Brunswick the thermometer registers 52 degrees below zero. Barnum's white elephant has arrived in Liverpool.

Gov. Abbott, of New Jersey was inaugurated last Tuesday.

It is the struggle against difficulty that brings faculties into play.

Twelve coal miners have been arrested near Pittsburg, Pa., charged with conspiracy to cause a strike. A coasting accident, resulting in

the serious injury of several people, is reported from Springfield, Mass. Secretary Folger has asked congress for \$35,700 more with which to finish the St. Louis custom house

Indiana, was unveiled last Tuesday, at Indianapolis. Henry B. Payne was elected United States senator from Obio last

A statue to ex-Gov. Morion, of

Contractors are taking mechanics' liens on the West Shore railroad sta-

A tunnel under St. Clair river between Sarnia and Port Huron is the latest Canadian engineering project. Disputes should be so conducted as always to secure a peaceful end-

A great many people in this world praise goodness, and then do as they have a mind to. No matter how unworthy a man

may be, he should have our sympa-Adversity, how blunt are all the arrows of thy quiver in comparison

with those of guilt.

fear lest you may fall, and by the grace of God you are safe. case of sour mash I ever saw in my There cannot be a greater rudeness than to interpret another in the

Do all you can to stand, and then

Everybody seems to consider himself a kind of moral half-bushel to measure the world's frailties in. The Australian ladies have taken

current of his discourse.

to learning the art of fencing as an amusement. Fannie Walker, fourteen years old, has been arrested for setting fire to a school-house at Summerville.

New York. Amelia Olsen, a girl of seventeen, was found dead in the Chicago suburbs, having been maltreated and left to die of exposure.

A bill to forfeit the Southern Pacific land grant will be drawn up by the subcommittee in charge of the A bitter word may make a wound

that will never heal. A kind word may wiu a friend that will never There is no trait more valuable than a determination to persevere

when the right thing is to be accom-Every life is walled with the gate s of progress, and to a man's touch hang their latch-strings of opportu-

Some men have a Sunday sou which they screw on in due time, and take off again every Monday

If you wish to ensure your future success, your days must be spent in industry, your evenings in steady

most necessary sinews of character, and one of the best instruments of If we wish to be hest judges of al l things, let us first persnade ourselves

Firmness of purpose is one of the

of this-that there is not one of us without fault. When a misfortune happens to a friend, look forward and endeavor

prevent the same thing from happening to yourself. They who scatter with one hand, gather with two, not always in coin, but in kind. Nothing multiplies -so

much as kindness. A Detroit jury gave Coup, the cir-

P. D. Hill, a merchant living at Highbridge, N. J., was called to his door by masked men and assassinated before daylight last Thursday morning.

Oil escaping from a tank at Bradaltogether improbable that the affirmvoice in its political action." This
ative legislation asked for by the mais worse than slanderous. There are
The lover of a Maine gurl was retrack and caught fire just as a pas-